

## Beneficiary travel fraud takes money out of the pockets of deserving Veterans.

## Inappropriate uses of beneficiary travel benefits include:

- incorrect addresses provided resulting in increased mileage
- driving/riding together and making separate claims
- taking no cost transportation, such as DAV, and making claims

Veterans making false statements for beneficiary travel reimbursement may be prosecuted under applicable laws.

Penalties can include fines, repayment of travel monies received, and/or incarceration.

38 Code of Federal Regulations, Part 70.41, "Recovery of Payments"
38 Code of Federal Regulations, Part 70.42, "False Statements"
(Authority: 38 U.S.C. 101, 111, 501, 1701, 1714, 1720, 1728, 1782, 1783, E. O. 11302)

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